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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment and Response is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed on November 21, 2001 (Paper No. 28), setting a three-month term. Claims 15-18 and 23 are currently under prosecution and stand rejected by the Examiner. Applicants respectfully request the amendment of the application as follows and consideration of the subsequent remarks.

In the Claims

Please cancel claims 15 and 23.

Please add the following new claim 24:

24. (New) An antibody that binds to the PST phosphatase interacting protein (PSTPIP) polypeptide of SEQ ID NO: 1 at a site not including a phosphorylated tyrosine, within said SEQ ID NO: 1.

Please replace claims 16-18 with the following amended claims:

16. (Amended) The antibody of claim 24 which is detectably labeled.